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Miss Dowling King will commence a select school at the M. E. Parsonage, Brockway Centre, the first Monday in April, and respectfully solicits the patronage of those having young children.

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AT BROWN & MERRILL'S Real Estate and Insurance Agency. Conveyancing done on short notice. Several Good Farms for sale on good terms. 1,000 acres in Sanilac Co., at \$4 per acre. A number of good farms in St. Clair Co. for sale cheap.

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SPRING.

We desire to inform the readers of this paper that our Spring Stock of

DRY - GOODS!

Has been received, and we invite you to call and examine them when in our city.

If you cannot come, send us your order, and the goods will be forwarded with promptness.

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Armada, Mich.

One mile northwest of the village.

We have a Fine Lot of Spring Pigs For Sale.

Local Expositions.

House cleaning time.

Next Sunday is Easter.

The fields begin to look green again.

Fishing is very good on the creek at present.

The bare-foot boy may again be seen on the street.

Mr. Reemer, of Flint, is W. H. Palmer's new miller.

E. M. Cady, of Port Huron, was in town on Monday.

The warm sunshiny days of the past week have dried up the mud.

Rollins & Hisey will soon commence work on their new brick block.

Isaac Lowrey has moved with his family into A. G. Brown's house.

Just received a car load of lime by John Saunders, Brockway Centre.

C. F. Michaels is busy laying the brick on his building and is doing a splendid job.

We noticed our friend A. K. Robinson, of Peck, in the village one day last week.

Mrs. A. R. Fraser and family left for California last Saturday where she will join her husband.

Miss C. Boice presents a new ady to the readers of the EXPOSITOR this week for their perusal.

Mrs. David Orser had the misfortune to fall and break her arm above the wrist one day week before last.

Miss Sarah Becker, of Petrolia, Ont., is visiting with W. H. Palmer and other friends in the village at present.

Miss Kittie A. Carroll was in Detroit last week and ordered more goods.

Notice her change of ady in this issue.

The Saturday excursions to Pt Huron from Green's Corners still continue and hundreds of people take them in every Saturday.

Those who own boats along the creek have brought them down from the loft and rigged them up for the summer campaign.

Holden Bros are getting the material on the ground preparatory to building a new house on their farm east of here this spring.

Alfred Young has been engaged the past week painting the front of W. N. McKenna's stores which gives them a neat appearance.

J. C. Hart has erected a small building on his lot near his block on Main-st which he will use as a store room for salt, lime and cement.

Wm Strong received a letter last week from E. F. Law stating that his father was dead. He will probably return and take up his school again soon.

Julian Hennessy fell from the roof of D. G. Williams' shed in his yard one day last week and cut a bad gash over his left eye. He is improving rapidly.

Brockway Centre Tent, No. 85, K. O. T. M. Sir Knights take notice that our tent will hold a review in their hall Tuesday evening, April 27, 1886, at 8 o'clock P. M. sharp. C. S. Gilbert, R. K.

We made a mistake in regard to F. E. Brooks making a delivery in about a week. He will not make his delivery until about April 27. Those who have given their orders for trees will do well to make a note of this.

Farmers who haven't spent all their money in Bohemian oats will have a chance to invest some in Plymouth Rock eggs at 75 dollars a dozen. The seller agrees to buy all chickens that are hatched from them at \$100 each. The eggs are boiled, but this don't interfere with the snappers' success.

Children's hats 15c. Cape May hats 30c. at Miss C. Boice's.

Go to Owens & Braidwood's for Ladies and Gents fine shoes. Big stock.

Henry Marshall, of Almont, was here this week looking for a chance to start a barber shop.

J. F. Holden and son Floyd, of Brown City, made a visit to friends in this village one day last week.

John Hickey, who at one time was in business here, made a visit to his friends in this place last week.

Spring opening of new stylish millinery and fancy goods for the next six weeks at Miss C. Boice's.

H. Holden, of Southampton, Ont., made his many friends and relatives in this vicinity a visit last week.

The new firm Owens & Braidwood have a new ady. in this issue. Call in to their place of business and look over their stock.

There will be a sugar party at the Bidleman school house for the benefit of the Sunday school Friday evening, April 23. All are cordially invited.

Jas Ferguson informs us that as long as he has lived in this village—and it is a good many years—he never saw the roads in such bad condition on front street as at present.

F. A. Griswold who lately purchased the furniture stock of N. T. Stratton & Son has a new ady. in this issue which we invite our readers to peruse. J. W. Stratton has been retained in the business as undertaker.

The time has now come when it behooves the householder or tenant to get the balance of the winter's stock of potatoes and other vegetables on the top shelf of the cellar, out of the way of the regular annual spring freshet.

We invite our many readers to inspect J. D. McKeith's change of ady. in this issue. He has a new lot of spring and summer goods and invites you after reading his ad to call in and inspect his immense stock at Speaker.

Robt B. Brown is desirous of selling his three village lots and parties wishing desirable building sites will do well to see him. He offers them cheap. Also a few pairs of fine bred fowls from imported eggs for sale very cheap. 47ff

David Orser has made many new additions to his barber shop lately. The latest is a set of new cane bottom chairs which adds materially to the comfort as well as the appearance of his emporium. Dave is an accommodating fellow and we wish him abundant success.

By an act of the legislature passed at the session in 1885, act 179, page 244: Sureties on all official bonds are required to justify their pecuniary responsibility under their signature in writing endorsed on the bond or attached thereto. Town officers will do well to look after this matter.

Now that Edison is married, the majority of young folks have postponed their nuptials and are anxiously waiting for him to invent a method whereby baby's cramps can be utilized to rock the cradle, and the midnight shrieks carried off on a wire to scare the cats off the back yard fence.

Martin Menerey will be forty-five years old on the seventh day of July and informs us he has never seen a grand-father or grand-mother, uncle or aunt, first or second cousin of his own or his recollection. This is a rather strange coincidence therefore we make note of it. Who else can say this?

Wm. Owens, of Almont, made a business trip to this village last week. We are pleased to state that Mr. Owens has taken as a partner in his business here, Alex Braidwood, formerly of Almont but now permanently situated in this village. We commend Mr. Owens on his excellent choice, as Alex is an enterprising, reliable and obliging young man.

It is quite often the case that young men in their prime will so demean themselves as to be guilty of striking old men for more trivial offenses. A case of this nature has lately come to our hearing and we would say to the young man that there is nothing noble or elevating in the business and you should be ashamed of yourself for doing so. Always respect old age.

We understand that B. R. Noble & Co., of Lexington, will open a banking office here sometime in May. They will either procure the Lamson Bank Building or rent an office until they can build a new one suitable for their business. Mr. Noble will give his personal attention to the business here and with ample capital it is proposed to do a sound conservative business. Such an institution is much needed here and we are glad to announce the coming of the firm.

An exchange gives the farmers the following advice: "If some sleek, smooth tongued stranger comes around and wants to leave a corn planter or a harrow at your place as an advertisement, call the dog. If he wants to sell you Bohemian oats or German barley, get down the shot gun. If he wants you to sign any receipt whatever, of any kind, kick him off the porch, through the gate into the road, then turn your dog loose and say 'sic,' then get in the house and shut the door. Watch the neighbor who comes around to introduce the stranger, and help pull the wool over your eyes."

Mark Grandy was home on a visit this week.

Look at those \$12.00 suits at Owens & Braidwood's.

Miss Mary Johnson left for Pontiac on Wednesday where she will spend the summer visiting among friends.

We received one dollar from W. S. Benjamin, Alpena, for the Expositor another year. He says, "send 'em along."

We are pleased to announce that Mrs. J. D. Grinnell is much improved in health and able to be around again although not very strong as yet.

Elder J. H. Paton will preach next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, and afternoon at 3, in the A. C. chapel. Come out and hear the gospel that will do you good.

A number of the young ladies of the village were on a fishing expedition Tuesday evening after tea. They caught a string of fish and came up town and offered them for sale.

When a woman wants to get rid of her husband for half an hour she sends him up stairs to get her thimble out of her best dress pocket, but when she wants stylish millinery or notions she goes herself direct to Miss C. Boice.

The April social of the M. E. Ladies Aid Society was held at J. Pearce's last Tuesday eve. where a very enjoyable time was had. All appreciated the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Pearce who did their best to make the evening one of real enjoyment. Receipts \$5.00.

Mrs. E. C. Wright, a sister of O. P. Chamberlain's, will deliver a temperance lecture in the Central Hall on Sunday evening next. Saturday afternoon she will meet with the women of the village and country in the M. E. church and on Sunday after Sabbath school in the same church she will meet with the children. All are cordially invited to attend her meetings.

Brockway Centre hangs Bannagher for producing notorious characters. We have one in our midst now, a slugger but no relation of John Sullivan the Boston bully. That gentleman has some manliness about him, and he is not afraid to stand up in a square fight before his equals, but our slugger is of a different breed. They call him John too but how he happens to have a human name at all is a mystery. The peculiarities of our critter is the smallness of his heart, and the kind of courage usually displayed by the meanness of brutes. Old feeble men and small boys come under his clutches occasionally. A small 13-yr-old boy was unmercifully beaten by the brute the other evening. How is this in a Christian country? Pass him round.

A meeting of the members of the Brockway Centre Driving Park Association will be held to-morrow (Friday) evening at Rapley's sample room for the purpose of making arrangements for some races this summer and other important business.

JAS WALLACE, Sec. J. HOLDES, Pres.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received up to April 27th 1886, at 5 o'clock p. m., for the building of a church at Roseburg. Specifications of work to be done may be seen at the store of Wm McIntyre. The committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids. Dated Roseburg, April 10, 1886.

HILL DAVIS, JAMES BADLEY, JOHN MITCHELL.

Building Committee.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by C. A. Wells & Co.

Easter Sunday.

"Why does not Easter always fall up on a fixed day? Christmas is always on December 25th. Why should not Easter be fixed with equal certainty?" Easter must always be on Sunday. It is not a fortnightly date that is observed but a particular Sunday. How to decide upon the Sunday, gave the very early churches much trouble and there were differences on that account, but the matter was settled at a council held at Nice in the year 325. The rule was adopted that "Easter day is always the first Sunday after the full moon, which happens on or next after March 21st, and if the full moon happens on a Sunday, Easter day is the next Sunday after. This gives Easter day a wide range of dates, as it may occur on any Sunday from March 22nd to April 25th. This year it falls on the latter date.

"Don't."

Don't go into a place of business and ask all manner of questions just for the sake of gratifying your curiosity; don't stand at the wicket in the Post Office and ask for letters for the whole family when you know there is not the slightest possibility of a letter for six months; don't give your neighbors a worse character than he has, for perhaps it is bad enough without "embellishing;" don't think because you are at leisure every other person in town is situated the same; don't interfere with a man at work if you have nothing important to tell him; don't consider that you are the only person in town that knows anything, for there are others who know as much as you have forgotten; don't handle goods which do not belong to you; and lastly, but more important than all don't look over the printer's shoulder when he is sticking type, for the manuscript is not intended to be read by the outside barbarians.

BROCKWAY CENTRE MARKET.

Reports corrected every Wednesday by O. W. Mills.

No 1 White Wheat	20
No 2 White Wheat	17
No 3 White Wheat	15
No 1 Red Wheat	22
No 2 Red Wheat	19
No 3 Red Wheat	17
Barley	10 1/2
Peas	10 1/2
Chowder Beans	4 50
Dressed Hogs	4 25
Butter	15
Skunk from 10c to 1.10	

PORKS.

Lard from 25 to 30 cts.

Milk from 45 to 40 cts.

Mustard spring 15 to 12 cts.

Red, Gray and Cross Fox from 10 cts to \$1.25.

Badger from 30 to 50.

Wild Cat from 25 to 50.

Bear from 2.00 to 10.00

Skunk from 10c to 1.10

WANTED—Farms for sale at Brown & Merrill's real estate and loan office, Brockway Centre, Mich. \$100,000 to loan at low rate of interest.

FOR SALE. The undersigned offers his farm in Lynn of 80 acres and also house and two lots in Brockway Centre for sale cheap. ANDREW KELLEY, apply to Brown & Merrill.

BULL FOR SALE. A 3-year-old Devon Stock Bull for sale cheap. For further particulars call on or address 464 FRED COLBERG, Sec. 3, Lynn Township.

Wound Cures.

W. D. Hoyt & Co., Wholesale and retail druggists, of Rome, Ga., say: We have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery, Electric Bitters and Bucklen's Arnica Salve for two years, have never handled remedies that sell as well, or give such universal satisfaction. There have been some wonderful cures effected by these medicines in this city. Several cases of pronounced Consumption have been entirely cured by use of a few bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery, taken in connection with Electric Bitters. We guarantee them always. Sold by C. A. Wells & Co.

Blood will Tell.

Dr. Jackson's blood and humor syrup will positively cure all eruptions, ulcers and bad sores upon the body, face or limbs. Will thoroughly cleanse the system and blood of every trace of diseases that have their origin therein. Cures the rheumatism, salt rheum and cancer and is well recommended by the medical profession all over the country. Price \$1 per bottle. Sold by W. N. McKenna, Brockway Centre.

Important to All.

Welch & Son have overhauled and put in new machinery of the latest improved style in their mill at Peck at a cost of one thousand dollars and have secured the services of F. J. Hulbert, formerly connected with W. H. Palmer, Brockway Centre as miller, and prepared to do better work than ever before. Call and be convinced that we mean just what we say, also for the next 30 days we will sell best winter wheat flour at \$2.25 per cwt. and spring wheat flour at \$2.00 per cwt. and lower grades cheaper. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. 47w2

S. O. WELCH & SON.

Interesting to Farmers.

All farmers engaged in the manufacture of butter or cheese, will find that if they have green and succulent feed for their stock in the months of July, August and September, they can keep up the flow of milk and greatly add to their profits. You will find nothing better than Barrell & Whitman's Southern Sweet Podder Corn. It is sweet, tender and greatly relished by stock and yields from 20 to 60 tons per acre. Raised by all dairy and stock farmers, for ensilage, green fodder or to cure for winter use. Leave your orders on or before the 1st day of May with John H. Merrill of the firm of Brown & Merrill, Brockway Centre.

OPENING.

We want every Lady in this section to call at our store and see the great variety of

Fancy Goods & Millinery

that we have brought on this season. Remember we promise to sell any article in our line at Port Huron or Detroit prices or lower. We are able and will do so.

If you want old styles or shoddy goods don't come for we have none, but will sell

FRESH STYLISH GOODS!

Just as Cheap.

CALL AND SEE.

MISS C. BOICE,

Brockway Centre, Mich.

MILLINERY

OPENING.

The undersigned will have her spring Millinery and Dressmaking opening on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 30, 31 and May 1. She extends an invitation to all to call and examine her stock, which has been selected with care. Come one, come all and see what can be seen in Brockway Centre.

Respectfully,

KITTIE A. CARROLL.

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—AT THE—

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ROSE BUILDING,

BROCKWAY CENTRE, MICHIGAN,

LAMKIN & FOSTER'S

FINE HAND-SEWED SHOES!

Congress and Bals.

A Splendid Line of Working Pants for Men and Boys at \$1, \$1.25, \$1.35 and \$1.50. Mens Shirts at 50 cts, 75 cts and \$1.00. Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats and Furnishing Goods.

Wood Taken in Trade.

DOTY & KEELER.

NEW FIRM! NEW GOODS!

LOW PRICES.

The undersigned have formed a co-partnership and will carry on the business in the post-office store formerly conducted by Mr. Finlayson.

A new line of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes and Notions

has been added and will be sold as cheap as they can be bought for in Pt. Huron or any other place. Give us a call when in need.

FINLAYSON & WARING.

New Dry Goods!

New Groceries!

New Boots & Shoes!

and New Prices!

AT

W. H. Wear & Co's.

SEE HERE!

Do not buy at any price what you do not need; but if you want any of the following goods, and will examine our stock we are quite sure you will purchase of us a share of your necessities.